MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. *Meteorological Observations for March* 1939.

Height of Observatory above mean sea level	Bangalore 3,021 ft.	Mysore 2,518 ft.	Hassan 3,149 ft.	Chitaldrug 2,405 ft.	Balehonnur 2,917 ft.	Nandi Hill 4,851 ft.
Pressure (red. to 32° F.) ...	26·978	27·453	26·860	27·548	27·058	Report not received
Temperature in shade :—						
Dry Bulb ...	72·3	74·0	71·3	77·3	66·5	
Maximum ...	88·9	91·9	91·6	92·9	87·7	
Minimum ...	65·3	67·5	63·6	69·8	60·9	
Wet Bulb ...	63·2	65·9	62·9	67·2	61·8	
Temperature in open space :—						
Maximum in the Sun ...	140·3	...	...	...	...	
Minimum on Grass ...	61·4	...	...	...	...	
Rainfall (Total) ...	0·40	0·85	0·45	Nil	0·12	
Wind Direction ...	S 17°E	S 45° W	S 11°W	S 45° W	S 39° E	
Velocity (miles per hour) ...	6	6	4	5	4	
Cloud in cents ...	22	11	1	28	33	
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine.	8·9	...	...	...	...	

Bangalore,
Dated 28th April 1939.

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MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1939.

A total of 4 attacks with nil death from Plague was returned during the week against 1 attack with nil death in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1938 and 1937 were 2 attacks with 2 deaths and nil attack with 1 death, respectively.

A total of 7 attacks with 3 deaths from Small-pox was reported from one village in each of Hassan and Dodballapur Taluks and from Kolar Gold Field Area.

A fatal case of Influenza was reported from Mysore City.

The State remained free from Cholera and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 102 (31 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 24·4 (17·0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 34·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 3 under Typhoid, 1 under Other Fevers, 12 under Phthisis, 15 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 70 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 58 deaths (7 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 20·5 (18·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 22·1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 5, Pneumonia 6, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 10, and all other causes 35. The reported mortality was low.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 45 (7 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 18.5 (15·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 25·5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 1, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 6, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 31. The reported mortality was very low.

There were 51 deaths (13 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 32·0 (23·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 19·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 2 under other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 41 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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For *Director.*

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 28th April 1939.
(Section 5-ii.)

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1938	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	987	934	6,679	6,087	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 1st May 1939.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Chief Inspector of Factories.*

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